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22 FRIEDRICH Now, I will also add, inasmuch you asked about sort of
23 any information without restriction to time frame. As I
24 said, I had a family member from New Mexico. And when I went
25 home for Thanksgiving I did call Mr. Barnett, as he had

1 offered to meet him. We went to breakfast. He brought Pat
2 and one other gentleman whose name escapes me as I sit here.
3 I had a pleasant breakfast, discussed a couple of things,
4 talked about the State, that type of stuff. They also
5 basically repeated what they had -- I remember them repeating
6 basically what they had said before in terms of unhappiness
7 with Dave Iglesias and the fact that this case hadn't gone
8 any place. And I basically, again, in response to their
9 concerns about Iglesias, I made clear then, in the similar
10 manner that I had when I was in the Criminal Division, that
11 since I had subsequently moved to the AG's Office, Personnel
12 was not something that I worked on. I did not want to be that
13 some type of liaison for concerns about U.S. attorneys.

14 Q And this was you think around Thanksgiving of '06?

15 A Yes.

16 Q Was there any discussion at all about a possibility
17 of Mr. Iglesias not being U.S. attorney in the future?

18 A It was clear to me that they did not want him to be
19 the U.S. attorney. And they mentioned that they had
20 essentially -- they were sort of working towards that.

21 Q And did they mention with whom they had
22 communicated about that?

23 A They mentioned that they had communicated that with
24 Senator Domenici, and they also mentioned Karl Rove.

25 Q Did they mention Goodling again at that point?

1 A No.

2 Q Anything more specific about what they said
3 concerning their communications with Senator Domenici or Karl
4 Rove?

5 A Not that I recall. Just that they -- you know,
6 that they were clearly undertaking some type of effort and
7 had expressed those views to those people.

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